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Girl's Dress

MATERIALS:

Girl's Dress

Boy's Suit

	SIZES:		2	4 and 6	2	4 and 6
2 - oz. skeins "Botany" Saxatones Pompadour			3	4	Blouse—2	Blouse—3
2 - oz. skeins "Botany" Saxatones					Pants—1	Pants—2
Suggested colors:						
"Botany" Saxatones Pompadour, white						
"Botany" Saxatones (Pants) #55						
A few yards of contrasting color for shoe lace trim.						
Knitting Needles (standard)			#3	#3	#1 and #3	#1 and #3
Steel Crochet Hook			#00	#00		
1 tapestry needle - 3 small buttons - 1 yd. 1/2 inch elastic for Boys Pants						

GAUGE: 7 sts. to 1 inch; 9 rows to 1 inch

Read instructions for size desired. Fill in blanks to make reading of instructions easier.

Seed St: Multiple — Uneven number of sts. Row 1: * K 1, p 1, repeat from * across, end k 1. Repeat this row for seed st. pattern.

Pattern St: Multiple of 10 sts., plus 9. Rows 1, 3: Knit. Rows 2, 4: Purl. Row 5: K 4, p 1 * K 9, p 1, repeat from * across end k 4. Row 6: P 4, k 1, * p 9, k 1, repeat from * across end p 4. Rows 7, 9: Knit. Rows 8, 10: Purl. Row 11: * K 9, p 1, repeat from * across, end k 9. Row 12: * P 9, k 1, repeat from * across, end p 9. Repeat these 12 rows for pattern.

BACK:

SIZES:

With #3 needles, cast on _____ sts. Work even in seed st. for 14 rows. Change to pattern st. and work even until piece measures _____ inches from start or desired length to waist.

Next row: * k 2 tog., repeat from * across row end k 1 (_____ sts.) Dec. 1 more st. for size 4 only. (_____ sts.) Work even in seed st. for 11 rows. Start first row of pattern st., decreasing 6 sts. evenly spaced for size 2; increasing 4 sts. evenly spaced for size 6. (_____ sts.)

Work _____ rows in pattern or desired length to underarm. Shape armhole and divide for back opening as follows: Bind off 2 sts. at armhole side, work in pattern across _____ sts., work last 5 sts. in seed st., place remaining sts. on holder, turn, work back to armhole side, dec. 1 st. at armhole side, every other row 5 times (_____ sts.) Work even in pattern, keeping 5 sts. at neck edge in seed st. until armhole measures _____ inches from first bind off.

Bind off _____ sts. at armhole side 2 times. Bind off remaining sts. at neck edge. Tie in yarn to other side. Pick up 5 sts. in back of 5 seed sts. of other front and work to correspond reversing shaping.

FRONT: Work same as back to underarm (_____ sts.). Now shape armholes and start yoke pattern as follows: Bind off 2 sts., k _____ sts., p 6, k 6, p 6,

k _____ sts., p 6, k 6, p 6.

K _____ sts. Next row: bind off 2 sts.

P _____ sts., k 6, p 6, k 6,

P _____ sts., k 6, p 6, k 6,

P _____ sts., continue in yoke pattern, decreasing 1 st. at the beginning and end of every other row 5 times (_____ sts.) Work even in yoke pattern until armhole measures _____ inches from first bind off, ending with a purl row.

Work across _____ sts. in pattern, place remaining sts. on holder, turn, bind off center _____ sts., work to armhole then back to neck. Dec. 1 st. at neck edge every other row _____ times.

Work even until armhole measures _____ inches from first bind off. Bind off _____ sts. at armhole side 2 times. Work other side to correspond, reversing shaping. Weave shoulders together.

SLEEVES: With #3 needles cast on _____ sts. Work even in seed st. for 11 rows. Inc. 20 sts. evenly spaced in next row. (_____ sts.) Work even in pattern st. for 1 in. Bind off 2 sts. at the beginning of each row until _____ sts. remain. Bind off remaining sts.

2	4	6
149	159	169
10	11	12
75	80	85
75	79	85
69	79	89
9	13	17
30	35	40
30	35	40
4	4½	5
10	11	12
69	79	89
9	12	16
11	15	17
11	14	18
9	12	16
11	15	17
9	12	16
55	65	75
2½	3	3½
32	38	45
9	11	15
3	5	6
4	4½	5
10	11	12
39	49	59
59	69	79
23	29	35

SIZES:

2

4

6

COLLAR: With wrong side to you, skip 3 sts. at neck edge of left back, tie in yarn and pick up _____ sts. to center of front neck. Work even in seed sts. for 10 rows. Dec. 1 st. at the beginning and end of every other row 5 times. Bind off. Work other half of collar the same.

FINISHING: Weave side seams. Sew sleeves in place, easing in fullness at top of sleeve. With contrasting color, crochet a chain about 2 yds. long. Criss cross in shoe lace trim in purl panels on front. Crochet 3 buttonloops on right back as follows: * Ch. 3, skip 2 sts., 1 s.c. in each of next 2 sts., repeat from * until 3 loops are made. Sew buttons in place.

Boy's Suit

FRONT: With #1 needles, cast on _____ sts. K 2, p 2 in ribbing for 1 inch, place on holder. Make another piece the same. Change to #3 needles, k across, decreasing 4 sts., evenly spaced in this row, cast on 20 sts. K across piece on holder, decreasing 4 sts. evenly spaced. (_____ sts.)

CROTCH: Purl 1 row. K _____ sts., slip 1, k 1, P.S.S.O., K 18, K 2 tog., K _____ sts. Purl back.
K _____ sts., slip 1, K 1, P.S.S.O., K 16, K 2 tog.
K _____ sts. Purl back, continue decreasing in this manner having 2 sts. less between decreases until _____ sts. remain on needle. Work even until piece measures _____ inches from start, or 1 inch less than desired length to waist (measured through center of crotch). Change to #1 needles, K 2, P 2, in ribbing for 2 inches. Bind off loosely in ribbing.

BACK: Make same as for front, working $\frac{1}{2}$ inch longer than front.

FINISHING: Weave side seams easing in extra $\frac{1}{2}$ inch on back seams. Fold waistband in half and sew neatly on wrong side. Run elastic through band.

BLOUSE (back): With #1 needles cast on _____ sts. K 1, P 1 in ribbing for 2 in. Change to #3 needles, increasing _____ sts. in a p row. Change to pattern st. until piece measures _____ inches from start or desired length to underarm. Bind off 2 sts. at the beginning and end of every other row 5 times (_____ sts.) Work even until armhole measures _____ inches from first bind off. Bind off _____ sts. at the beginning of the next 4 rows. Bind off remaining sts.

FRONT: Work same as back to underarm, ending with a P row (_____ sts.) Bind off 2 sts. at the beginning of the next 2 rows. Now finish shaping armhole and divide sts. for neck opening, working in yoke pattern as follows: *Row 1:* K 2 tog., K 6, P 6, K 6, P 6, K _____ sts. work 5 sts. in seed st. (front border). Place remaining sts. on holder, turn. *Row 2:* Work 5 sts. in seed st., P _____ sts., K 6, P 6, K 6, P 7. *Row 3:* K 2 tog., K 5, P 6, K 6, P 6, K _____ sts. work 5 sts. in seed st. *Row 4:* Work in pattern, back to armhole side. Continue in yoke pattern, dec. 1 st. at armhole side 3 times more and making buttonholes as follows: Work to within 5 seed sts., work 1 st., bind off 2 sts., work remaining 2 sts. Next row, work in pattern casting on 2 sts. over bound off sts. of previous row. Make 2 more buttonholes in same manner _____ rows apart. Work even in yoke pattern until armhole measures _____ inches from first bind off.

Bind off _____ sts. at neck edge. Dec. 1 st. at neck edge every other row 4 times. (_____ sts.)

Work even until armhole measures _____ inches from first bind off.

Bind off _____ sts. at armhole side 2 times.

RIGHT FRONT: Place sts. from holder onto needle, cast on 5 sts. at neck edge (seed st. border) and work to correspond to left front, reversing shaping, omit buttonholes.

SLEEVES: With #3 needles, cast on _____ sts. Work in seed st. for 1 inch. Change to pattern st. as on back and work even until sleeve measures _____ inches from start or desired sleeve length. Bind off 2 sts. at the beginning of each row until 19 sts. remain. Bind off. Weave shoulders.

COLLAR: With wrong side to you, tie in yarn 3 sts. in from neck edge. With #3 needles, pick up _____ sts. to within last 3 sts. Work in seed st. for 10 rows. Dec. 1 st. at the beginning and end of every other row 5 times. Bind off remaining sts.

FINISHING: Weave side and sleeve seams. Sew sleeves in place. Make shoe-lace trim same as on girls dress. Sew buttons in place.

	2	4	6
43	47	51	
44	48	52	
100	108	116	
39	43	47	
39	43	47	
39	43	47	
39	43	47	
80	88	96	
8 $\frac{1}{2}$	9	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	
78	86	94	
1	3	5	
8	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	9	
65	75	85	
4	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5	
11	13	14	
79	89	99	
9	14	19	
9	14	19	
9	14	19	
5	7	9	
2 $\frac{1}{2}$	3	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	
9	10	13	
22	26	28	
4	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5	
11	13	14	
49	59	69	
3	3	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	
81	85	89	

'BOTANY' Sewing Briefs

Now is the time to start your Fall sewing. This year decide to keep the resolution you've made so often before:—*a planned wardrobe*. Select one of Botany's† new glowing Hearthtones, such as Cedar Green, Poker Red, Ember Grey or Firewood Brown, and build your wardrobe around it.

Beginning this month, Botany will keep you posted on the latest trends in Fashion, and the newest in home-sewing tricks.

Color Line-up

Try costume contrasts in *one color*. As many as five tones of the same color used in one outfit can be beautifully contrived. When tones are used well, the result has subtle nuances, and denotes a woman wise in the ways of fashion.

Browns are high in importance. All shades from the palest fawn down thru sunny yellows, warm amber, coffee tones, and finally deepest earth brown can be knowingly used together. For example: Botany's Marchan in Firewood Brown for the suit, a blouse of warm yellow, shoes and bag the amber of good polished leather, a chic hat in cafe au lait, and fawn-colored doeskin gloves.

Poker Red is wonderfully flattering. This full-bodied color is ideal for Fall suits and dresses. Try wearing a Poker Red flannel coat over any other Hearthtone for your full share of cool-weather compliments.

Ember Grey is another versatile color that can be teamed with both lighter and darker tones for a monochromatic effect. Or wear it with Winter Navy accessories and grey fur for great elegance.

Suggestions

Give a custom look to each costume by purchasing slightly more Botany wool fabric than your pattern requires. By making a removable band, a feather-type fancy, or a flower, your hat becomes part of your outfit. A handbag too, seamed of matching fabric is so simple to make, and so very smart.

Next Month, a Line-up of Styles and Silhouettes. Watch for it.

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